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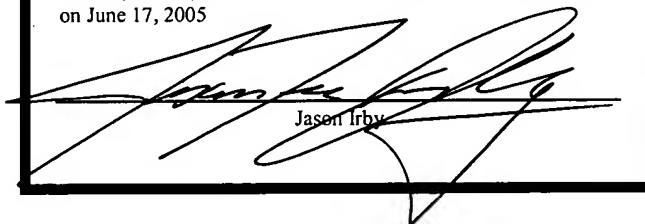
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Examiner: Dang, Hoang C.  
Title: *Iterative Drilling Simulation Process for  
Enhanced Economic Decision Making*

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments set forth below and requests favorable action thereon.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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Applicant respectfully requests correction of the Attorney Docket No. in the United States Patent Office records. Please replace with Attorney Docket No. --**074263.0169**--.